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	NOTICE OF APPEAL		
	Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated of the Examiner twice/finally		
	rejecting claims(\$ 320.00)	\$	0.00
	An appeal BRIEF is attached in triplicate in the pending appeal of the		
	above-identified application (\$)	\$	
\boxtimes	An ORAL HEARING is requested under Rule 194 (\$280.00)	\$	280.00
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	Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits	-\$ (0.00)
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	Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this		
	paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$400.00/2 months; \$920.00/3 months; \$1440.00/4 months)	\$	0.00
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Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u> in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140.** A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached.

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